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August 21, 1980

Mr. Ron Daniels  
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining  
1588 West North Temple  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84116

Re: Tailings Disposal Areas, Escalante Silver Mine

Dear Mr. *Ron* Daniels:

This office has completed its preliminary review of the geotechnical investigation prepared by Fox Consulting Engineers for the above mentioned tailings dam. This office is in agreement with those recommendations presently in the preliminary report. The final plans and specifications must be submitted and approved by me prior to construction. When approval is given, the conditions of construction will be outlined. It will also be necessary that my signature be placed on the final cover sheet for the construction drawings.

Sincerely,

Dee C. Hansen, P.E.  
State Engineer

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